## United States Court of Appeals

FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

No. 03-5314

September Term, 2003

96cv01285

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Elouise Pepion Cobell, et al., Appellees

V.

Gale A. Norton, Secretary of the Interior, et al.,
Appellants

BEFORE:

Ginsburg, Chief Judge, and Edwards, Sentelle, Henderson, Randolph, Rogers, Tatel, Garland, and Roberts,\* Circuit Judges

## ORDER

Upon consideration of the motion for en banc consideration of the motion for reconsideration of the court's stay order filed January 28, 2004, it is

**ORDERED** that the motion for en banc consideration be denied. <u>See</u>, <u>e.g.</u>, Fed. R. App. P. 35(a) (stating that en banc consideration "is not favored and ordinarily will not be ordered unless: (1) [it] is necessary to secure or maintain uniformity of the court's decisions; or (2) the proceeding involves a question of exceptional importance").

## Per Curiam

FOR THE COURT: Mark J. Langer, Clerk

BY:

<sup>\*</sup> Circuit Judge Roberts did not participate in this matter.

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